

**REMARKS**

By this amendment, claims 7, 9, 11, 13, and 31 are amended and claims 8, 19-29, and 32-33 are canceled. Claims 1-6, 18, 30, 36, and 42 were canceled in a previous amendment. As such, claims 7, 9-17, 31, 34-35, and 37-41 are now pending.

Applicant gratefully acknowledges the Examiner's indication that claims 14-17 and 37-41 are allowed and that claims 8-13 and 33 include allowable subject matter.

Independent claim 7 has been amended to include all the limitations of claim 8 and is therefore allowable. No additional matter has been added. As such, claim 8 has been canceled and claims 9, 11, and 13 have been amended to depend from claim 7. Applicant respectfully requests allowance of claims 7 and 9-17.

Independent claim 31 has been amended to include all the limitations of claims 32 and 33 and is therefore allowable. No additional matter has been added. As such, claims 32 and 33 have been canceled. Applicant respectfully requests allowance of claims 31 and 34-35.

Entry of the above amendment and allowance of claims 7, 9-17, 31, 34-35, and 37-41 are respectfully requested. Should there be any questions or concerns regarding this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Respectfully submitted,



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